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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY KABUL IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, AF, US

SUBJECT: PROPOSED CONVERSATION WITH PRESIDENT DAOUD

REF: A) KABUL 1186; B) STATE 033629

WE ENDORSE THE PROPOSED LINE YOU INTEND TO TAKE IN YOUR  
CONVERSATION WITH PRESIDENT DAOUD. IN VIEW OF PRESIDENT  
CARTER'S RECENT PERSONAL MESSAGE TO DAOUD (STATE REFTEL),  
WE DO NOT THINK IT ADVISABLE TO CONVEY ANY FURTHER PRESI-  
DENTIAL COMMUNICATION AT THIS TIME. YOU ARE AUTHORIZED,  
HOWEVER, TO TELL PRESIDENT DAOUD THAT THE DEPARTMENT HAS  
INSTRUCTED YOU TO COMMUNICATE THE MESSAGE OUTLINED IN PARA  
(B) IN KABUL REFTEL.

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## Message Attributes

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